



# BARBY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Our newsletter is "paper free", an environmentally friendly way to keep up with the latest news and events

## SCHOOL

### PARENTPAY MENU

There is a new menu available from 4th November, please log into Parentpay to book. If you have pre-booked meals up until Christmas please log in to check they are still confirmed as a menu change can sometimes affect bookings already made.

### FLU IMMUNISATION CONSENT FORMS

Consent forms went home this week for the flu immunisations. Please return as soon as possible.

### PARENTS EVENING

Parents evening booking forms are now in reception. Please pop in to sign up for an appointment or call the school office.

### SHOEBOX APPEAL

Thank you to all who donated to the shoe box appeal. Your donations will make a huge difference to children in Eastern Europe this Christmas.

### BLUE BUTTERFLY

On Wednesday 6th November we will have PCSO's in school delivering the Blue Butterfly workshops across the school. The Blue Butterfly is a Northamptonshire Police project that aims to help children understand their feelings if they witness domestic violence, bullying, abuse or exploitation so they talk to a trusted adult and get help. The scheme takes its name from the 'butterflies' sensation a child may experience when they are scared and the aim is to help children to recognise the emotions they may feel if something isn't right. If you require any further information please feel free to pop in and speak to a member of staff.

### BIKEABILITY

Pupils in year 5 & 6 will be completing Bikeability w/c 25th November. If necessary children can bring their bikes at the start of the week and we can store them overnight to save transporting them each day. All children will require a bicycle helmet and will not be able to complete the course without one.

- Mon 4th Nov School open to pupils
- Tues 12th Nov Parents evening 3.30-7pm
- Thurs 14th Nov Parents evening 3.30-5pm
- Mon 25th Nov Bikeability Year 5 & 6
- Mon 25th Nov Flu Immunisations Year R-6
- Mon 9th Dec Scholastic Book Fair in School
- Tues 10th Dec KS1 Nativity 9.30am & 1.45pm
- Weds 12th Dec KS1 Nativity 6pm
- Weds 11th Dec Children's Christmas Lunch
- Weds 11th Dec Christmas Jumper Day
- Mon 16th Dec Pantomime in School
- Fri 20th Dec School Closes for Christmas

### HALF TERM BOOK CHALLENGE

Calling all junior bookworms! Follow the link <https://caboodle.nationalbooktokens.com/bookisland/?competition=15> to play the Book Island Challenge for a chance to win a £10 book token.

### ALDI KIT FOR SCHOOLS

Thank you to everyone who has collected the Aldi Kit For Schools stickers and brought them in for us. We have managed to complete one poster already and are eagerly trying to fill a second to maximise our chances of winning the prize for our school. The competition closes on 3rd November and we have until the 18th November to send our posters off so please keep collecting and bring as many as possible in after half term.

### STARS OF THE WEEK



Well done to our Stars Of The week this week

Georgina in Squirrels, Caitlyn in Foxes, Peter in Badgers & Lee in Oaks



**OUR VALUE THIS TERM IS THANKFULNESS**

